



PATENT APPLICATION

OF THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re the Application of

Yjui SATO

Group Art Unit: 2116

Application No.: 09/820,729

Examiner: T. Du

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Docket No.: 108842

For: DATA TRANSFER TIMING SIGNAL APPARATUS AND METHOD OF DATA TRANSFER

**LARGE ENTITY PETITION FOR 1st - 3rd EXTENSION
OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) AND
TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17**

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to the outstanding Official Action in the above-identified patent application. The shortened statutory period having expired February 4, 2005, an extension of time for a period of 1 month is hereby requested. Attached hereto is our Check No. 163796 in the amount of \$120 in payment for:

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